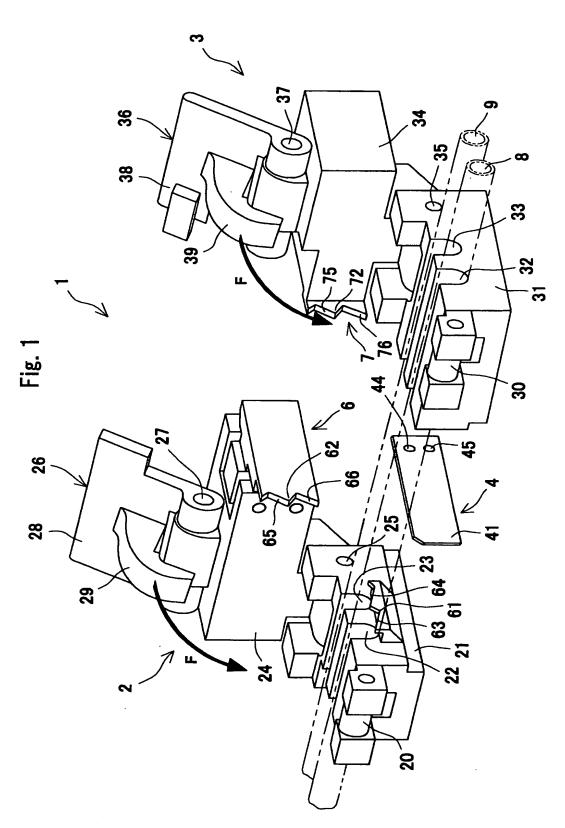
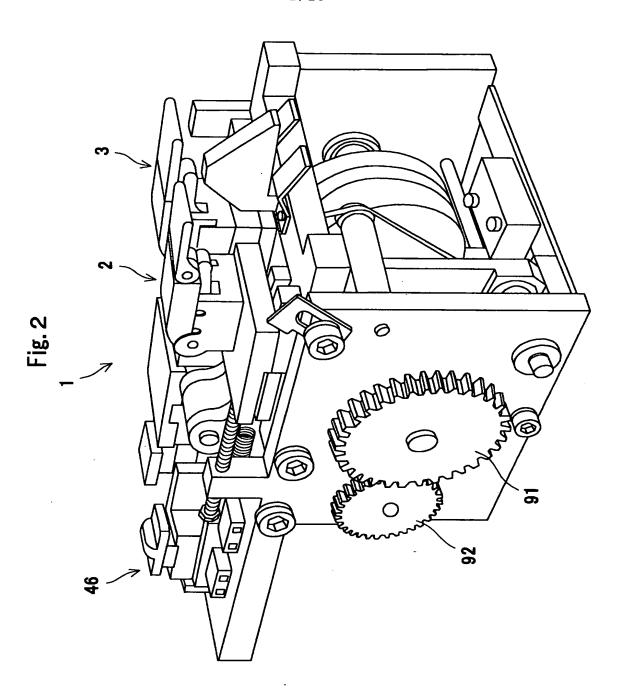
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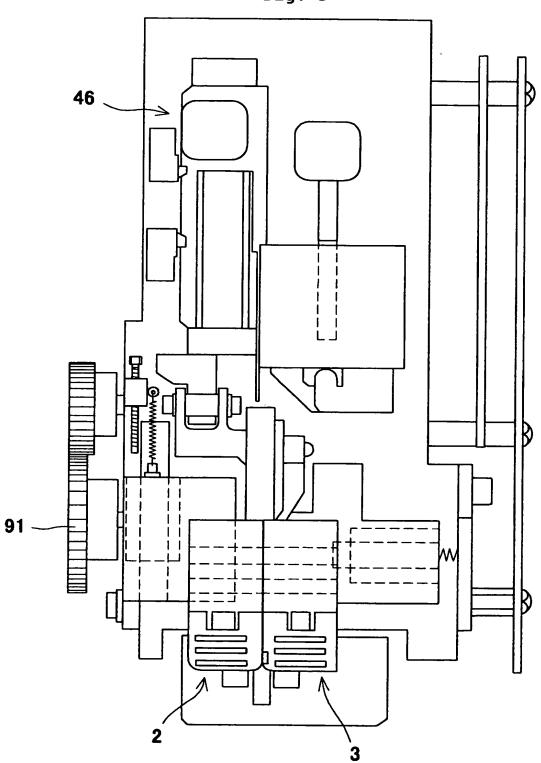
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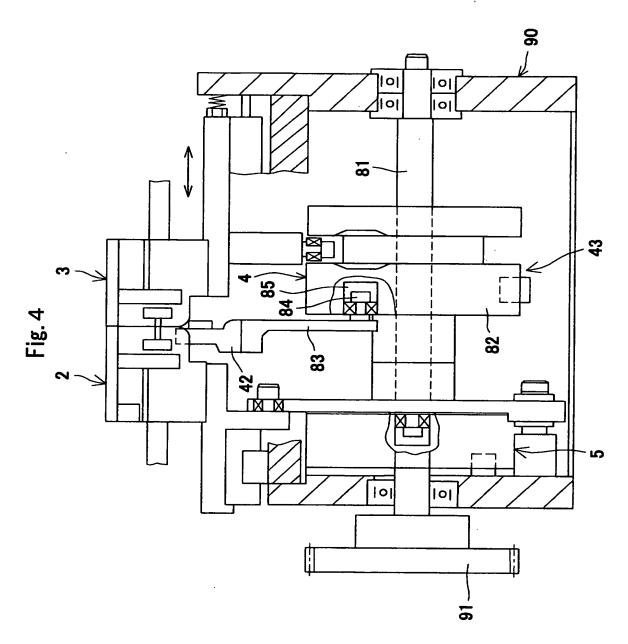


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Fig. 3



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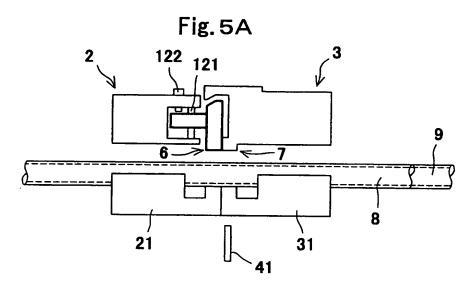


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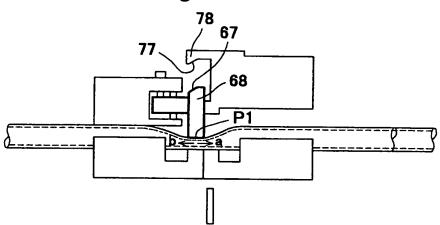
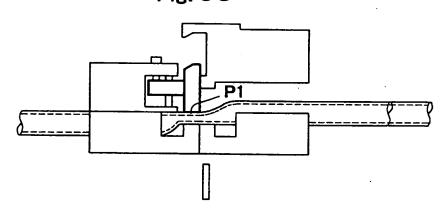


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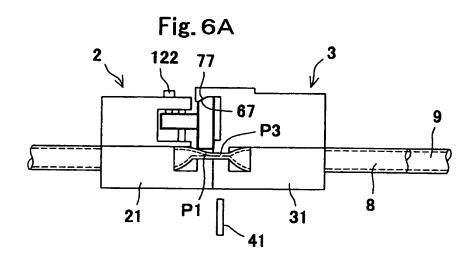


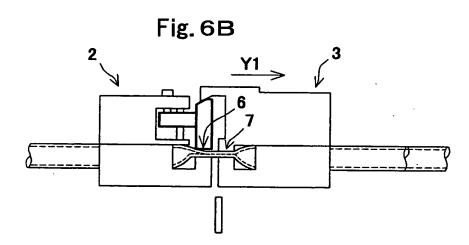
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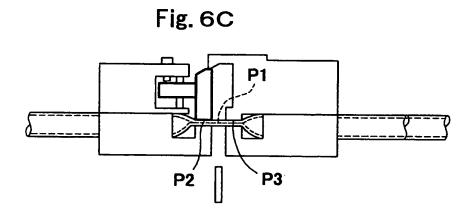
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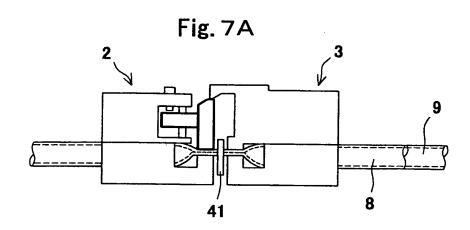


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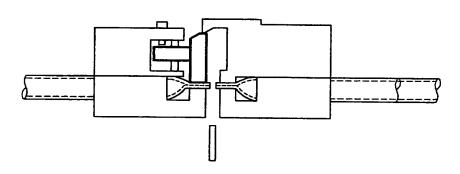
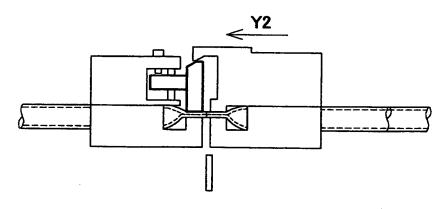


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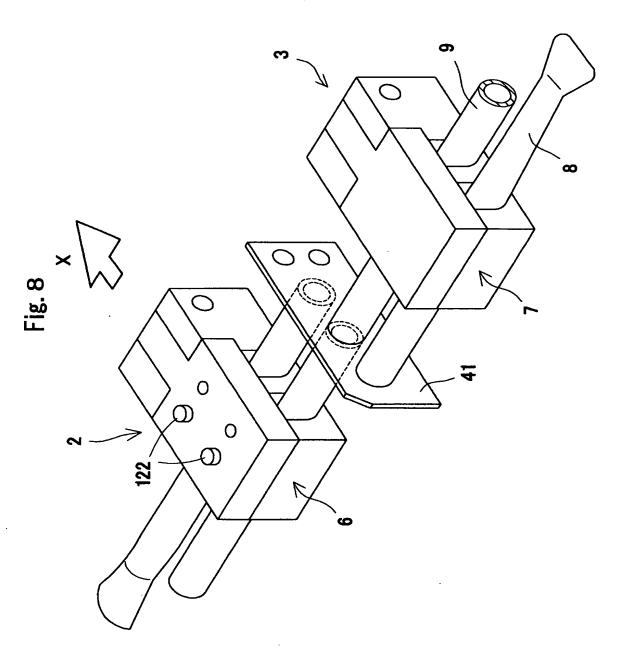
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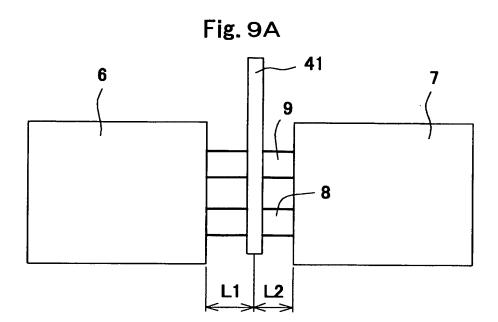
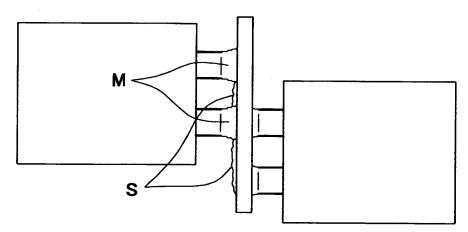


Fig. 9B



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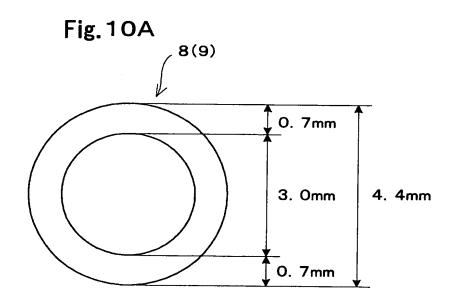


Fig.10B



Fig. 10C

